

LOCAL.

S. W. Cressy, of Hagerman, came down Saturday.

The Odd Fellows will organize tomorrow night.

Ed Wheeler and wife returned to Roswell Tuesday morning.

Mr. Gilland, of Decatur, Tex., was an arrival yesterday morning.

Mr. A. A. Kerr of Corsicana is the new pharmacist at Dr. Smith.

J. T. Cooper is in Bittling's until Mr. Bittling returns from the coast.

Gus Orr, section foreman at Francis, was transferred Tuesday to Miller.

Bruce Jones and Miss Beasing were married at Seven Rivers last week.

Judge Ananias Green returned from a trip to the mountains last Sunday.

Hub Brogdon is improving under the care of Drs. Kinsinger and Wheeler.

Mr. Harry Kincaid and Miss Mable Smith were married yesterday by Rev. Brantley.

Mr. G. Laven of Toledo, Ohio, came in this morning and will locate in the valley.

Avila Thomas, C. E., assistant to Mr. Salich, came in this morning from Montreal, Cana.

General Manager Paulkner departed Sunday for a visit with his family in Los Angeles, Cal.

Dr. Pringley, who was arrested under the dental law, was fined \$20 and costs Monday of last week.

Ed Robinson, Joyce, Pruit & Co's. popular clerk, was under the weather a few days the past week.

Two new members were received by certificate into the M. E. church, south, after the morning service, Sunday.

Mr. Wilkinson, foreman on the work train who was severely injured by a hand car some time since, is improving.

Phelps White, of Roswell, the well known LFD cattle man, was a passenger on yesterday's south bound train.

The Rio Grande at El Paso has been dry for over two months and orchards are dying for want of water around Ysleta.

Rev. H. Kempker desires to announce that there will be a sermon in English at 9:30 a. m. next Sunday at St. Edwards.

Dr. Rush Deeler, of Mineral Wells, Texas, arrived yesterday and will spend a few weeks in the valley for the benefit of his health.

Preaching in the fire department rooms, both morning and evening, next Sabbath. A cordial invitation to all to attend these services.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church, south, has changed the hour of holding its devotional meetings from 3 to 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

S. T. Bittling and John Bradford left Sunday for a trip to the Gulf coast, intending to spend a few weeks outing in the vicinity of Corpus Christi.

S. A. Nelson, the vegetable man, is having several car loads of fertilizer taken from Holtwood feed yards near McMillan to his ranch at Florence.

The El Paso district conference of the M. E. church, south, convenes in Eddy, July 15 and will be in session until the 19th, Bishop Key presiding.

Jas. W. Mullens, editor and manager of the Register at Roswell, came down Sunday evening and remained over until Tuesday, the guest of Wm. H. Mullane.

Fred Painter and wife, of Roswell, came down Saturday and visited with Mrs. Bittling until Monday. Mrs. Painter leaving on the evening train for Virginia.

Practical Irrigation and Fruit Growing by Jas. Kibbee, of Roswell, came to hand this week. It is a well printed magazine and should receive a good sup. art.

Mrs. Goodwin, sister of Mrs. Brantley, came in yesterday from Waxahachie, Texas, accompanied by her daughter, and will spend a few weeks visiting.

Will Prager, of Roswell, returned Tuesday from California, where his family resides. Mr. Prager expects to embark in business in Los Angeles, so says the El Paso Herald.

The walls of the Presbyterian church are fast going up and are beauties. The rock work is the equal if not superior to any in town. Mr. Beasing is the artist who is laying the rock.

John Bolton has turned out to be a first-class fisherman and as a result he has cast aside his cane and bought a one steel rod, the finest made and one of the kind seldom seen in this country.

A party was organized last Monday or a camping trip to the mountains, consisting of Prof. Gilmore, Mr. Mills, Mr. Welch, Miss Bertha Walker, Miss Welch, Mrs. Mills, Mrs. Myers and child, and others whose names were not learned.

Mrs. Wm. Leck and sons, Bert and Fred, and Frank Lavery left Monday for the half circle ranch on the plains fifty miles east of Eddy, to spend a couple of weeks visiting Mrs. Cowdan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leck.

The democratic central committee met last Friday and adopted rules and regulations for the primaries Aug. 8, which will be published next week.

Mrs. Stanley M. Jones, of Oklahoma City, O. T., and three children are here visiting Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Ogle. They arrived last Saturday and will remain a few weeks until Mr. Jones rebuilds their home, which was destroyed by fire.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cowdan, who have had a very sick child the past week from abscess of the bowels, feel much relieved at present from the result of a surgical operation by Drs. Rodman and Hinchey. The little one is improving slowly.

Wm. Cole and Ella McDonald were married at Seven Rivers last week, Wednesday, by Rev. Gage, of Hope.

Mrs. Robb, an old friend of the McDonald family, attended the wedding from Eddy, returning on the Friday train.

The ladies gold watch lost between Eddy and Seven Rivers has not been found. It contains the letters M. B. S. on one side and three diamonds and two rubies on the reverse side. A very liberal reward will be paid on the return of the watch to First National Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Knapp, who have resided in Eddy the past winter for Mr. Knapp's health, he being a sufferer from asthma, departed Monday evening for their home in St. Joseph, Mo. Mr. Knapp was much improved in health.

The stock ranges hereabouts never in the past four years have been so sadly in need of rain. Old settlers in Arizona, which territory is also suffering for rain, predict that when rain does come it will be heavy and likely be accompanied by hail.

R. M. Gilbert and wife came in last Thursday evening on the train from their home on the Pecos with their son Robert, aged twelve years, who, the Tuesday previous, was bitten by a rattlesnake on the toe. Mr. Gilbert buried the boy in soil and gave the usual antidotes. Since coming to town the boy has been doing well and is now in a fair way to recovery under medical care.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Church will shortly depart for San Francisco, Cal., where they will make their future home. Mr. Church has been identified with the improvements in the Pecos Valley ever since its first inception, an civil engineer; he is one of the pioneers. In a social way there were few matters of public concern in which Mr. and Mrs. Church were not known for the past seven years, they being very popular and much respected people, who leave a large circle of friends.

Lieut. Col. H. H. Tilton, Aide-de-Camp for New Mexico and staff commander in chief of the uniformed rank of Odd Fellows, arrived this morning and will institute a lodge here tomorrow night, acting as special deputy for Grand Master N. E. Stevens. Mr. Tilton will remain for several days in the valley and may locate permanently.

Jas. Mullens, of Roswell, will also be in attendance and the lodge will start out with about forty members.

The annual election of officers of the fire department occurred Monday night. Chief Miller was unanimously re-elected and A. T. Windom assistant chief to succeed J. P. McMillan; Wm. McEwan treasurer, C. W. Greene, secretary. An amendment to the by-laws providing for the election of a president of the fire department was passed and Hon. John Franklin unanimously chosen president. A committee consisting of Chief Miller and Foreman Mullane and Greene was chosen to notify Mr. Franklin. After considerable discussion it was decided to give a barbecue and ball July 4, the ball to be in the opera house.

Captain of John Scott.

D. R. Harkey returned last Friday from Flagstaff, Ariz., with Jno. Scott, who it will be remembered took a halter with a fine mare attached from the farm of Mr. Hodaill near Malaga in 1894, for which crime he will be tried at the November term of court. Mr. Harkey, who is the present constable of the precinct of Eddy, got wind of Scott and asked Sheriff Walker to deputize him to go and get his man, which was quickly done. Harkey had located Scott and had him jailed in Arizona. While returning on the A. & P. line from Flagstaff, near Rio Puerco station, Scott asked Harkey to get him a drink and while Harkey had his back turned Scott, though handcuffed, jumped head first through an open window while the train was moving at a rate of thirty-five miles an hour. Harkey jumped for the bell rope and slowed the train down and then jumped off, telling the news agent to explain to the conductor. Scott was found alongside the track by Harkey in a badly stunned condition. Then the train was backed up and a number of men lifted Scott aboard when a physician who happened to be present examined him and pronounced no bones broken and unhurt, except being badly shocked. Harkey carried one day in Albuquerque with his man who by the time the train was ready to depart for the south, was feeling quite well.

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A Trip to The Mountains.

FT. STANTON, N. M., May 21, 1901. EDITOR CURRENT:

I left home in Eddy the 15th inst. for a refreshing trip in those cool pleasant mountains, and came up through Badger and on up to the York neighborhood and thence up the 15th Spring canon, through the Indian reservation. Stock water is scarce, but the grass is pretty good and I believe the cattle look as well as I have seen them at this time of the year. The Indians have nearly all of the Elk and Silver Spring canons fenced, as tho' they intended to farm.

I notice that the Indian men dress like white men, and one other improvement, the Indian squaws have quit riding like boys and ride on horseback like white women.

The farmers have their crops all planted, but want rain to make the grain come up and grow. I learned from Mr. York that a number of bee trees had been found on the Pecos and when cut it was found that the honey made by the wild bees was just as sweet as honey from the hives of the tame Italian bee.

The soldiers are all called from Ft. Stanton and all of those beautiful houses in this delightful, healthful climate, on this beautiful Rio Bonito with 200 or 300 acres of good farming land, all belongs to the U. S. government. And now that the government has no more use for it what a good opportunity for New Mexico to establish a reform school. The climate, water and surroundings would make it a very desirable place, and I think New Mex. stands in need of such a school. Believing that the government would by an act of congress give this to the territory for a reform school, and in view of the fact that we stand in need of such a school, I mention this in order that the people may consider the proposition before some syndicate or association gobbles it up and turns it into a stock ranch.

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